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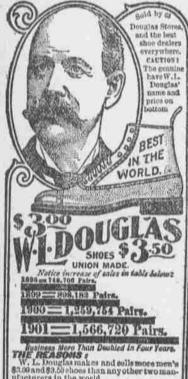
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PRIESMEYER SHOE SHOES THAT WEAR.

THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURE

Prince Henry of Prussia Witnesses Vots on the Philippine Tariff. SHID DAY.

The senate ratified the Donish treaty by which the United States purchased the Donish West Indies. No amendments were made to the treaty although one was affered and ar-

the treaty although one was offered and argued in executive session.

The senate ratified the treaty extending for one year from July 28, 1301, the time in which British colonies may give their adhesion to the convention signed March 2, 1250.

The senate passed the bill extending a permanent census office.

The senate passed the bill extending the charters of national bapks.

The house commenced upon the bill to repeal the war revenue taxes. It was taken up under a special rule the adoption of which invoked out some specioles against certain features of the bill. One objection was that the wholesale ropes of the war taxes would do away with the inheritance tax.

The verbal amendments made to the bill made by the committee were agreed to and the bill passed unanimously, 278 members voting aye.

54TH DAY.

The senate agreed that the final vote on the Philippine turiff bill shall be taken on Feb. 2. Specches on this bill consumed most of the

design.

Sension Turner, by request offered a resoluion which charges that Indian schools are
cosely conducted, and asking an investigation
by committee on Indian affairs.

A favorable report was made upon an omnisus chaims bill, which provides for the payment
f about suc claims. Every claim in it had been
reviously passed by either the house or the
enate.

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Headers the bill to authorize national banks to renew their charters a bill passed the senate authorizing the internal revenue commissioner to return stamped bank checks.

The Indian appropriation bill being before the bouse a lengthy confat sprang up of a per-sonal nature, and the bill itself was not once centioned during the time given it. Mr. Richardson (Tenn.) introduced a bill to efund the religious, charitable, literary and art nativotions, the taxes on legacies bequeathed to them.

STH DAY.

The senate continued the consideration of the Philippine tariff bill. A number of senators male speeches but no action was taken. Sometime ago the senator passed a resolution to submit an amendment to the constitution to better provide for the succession to the presidency when that office is made vasant. The resolution is disapproved quite considerably in the noise and there is danger that this action will not be taken. As the present law is now recognized as yeal the importance of action is felt. The law is vold because it ignores the provision in the constitution, that the speaker of the house ideal assume the presidency in case of the death of both the president and the vice president.

The house expended snother day on speech-es on extraseous matters, while the Indian ap-propria ton bill was before the house. The bill itself was not referred by any speaker.

55TH DAY.

The senate got down to work on the Philippine tariff bill. In the discussion Secutor Patterson (Colo.) attacked Governor Tatt's statements before the senate committee. He denounced what he termed the "devilish malianity" of the Philippine commission. Senators Nelson (Minn.) and McComber (S. D.) defended what they declared to be "slanders upon the American people" uttered by Senator l'atterson, All three of the speeches alluded to were quite extended.

The house made progress on the Indian appropriation bill disposing of 42 of its 42 pages. An amendment was adopted directing the indian commission to examine into the feasibility of educating Indians in schools upon the reservations. Mr. Smith (Ariz) and Mr. Cannon (Ill.) would do away with eastern Indian schools, but they received no support.

Mr. Hower seek (Kans.) secured the adoption of an amendment appropriating \$20,000 to purchase 300 acres of had adjoining the lands of the Haskell Indian school at Lawrence Ks.

STTR BAY.

The house has passed the Indian appropria-tios bill without any important amendments.

Mr. Southwick (N. Y.) introduced a bill to prevent the brewing of inferior beer.

A bull has been reported by the house com-mittee on public lands to make a public reser-vation of a tract in Arizona including the petrilled forest.

Mr Tawney (Minn.) has presented the fol-wing in the house:

lowing in the house:
Hesolved that the secretary of war be requested to furnish the house such information concerning the number of acres of land in Cuba purchased by non-residents of the island since the date of the American occupation as is shown by the reports to and the records of the military government of Cuba, giving the consideration, the names and places of residences of purchasors, the number of acres contained on each tract conveyed, the total acreage of cultivated stager lands owned by cultiens of the inted States and by citizens of other countries foreign to cuba.

SETH DAY.

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The senate committee on military affairs, re-ported favorably the bill authorizing the Y. M. C. A. to creet buildings at military posts on government reservations. George Washington's farewell address was read in the senate in accordance with a long time custom.

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Senator Lodge presented a memorial from
the Massachusetts legislature is favor of a con-

stitutional amendment to empower congress to enact laws regarding the hours of labor in the

enact laws regarding the hours of labor in the various states.

The senate met with a diagrace in the rough and tumble battle between the two senators from South Carolina.

The house set by unanimous vote for commencing the voting uson the Philippine tarint bill at 4 p. m. Prince Henry of Prussia was present and witnessed the proceeding. The irrigation bill comes next, if not supplanted by the appropriations for congress and the departments. On Thursday Secretary Has will address congress in joint convention is honor of President McKinley.

80,000 Strikers.

Barcelona, Feb. 19 .-- For several days past preparations have been in progress here for a general strike and now trade is completely paralyzed. The strikers have in many instances attacked servants who were returning from market and robbed them of their purchases.

The newspapers are unable to publish their regular editions.

The number of the strikers has increased to 80,000 and the strike movement is spreading throughout the vicinity of the city.

Rad to Shoot Embezzier.

Wichita, Feb. 20 .- G. W. Trout, accused of forgery and embezzlement of \$5,000 by the implement house which he represented here, lies at the Wichita hospital with two bullet holes in his left leg. He was found in an old "hull" house on a ranch ewned by his brother, eight miles southeast of Roff, I. T. Trout resisted arrest and raised his revolver to kill Marshal Ed House, when a special officer from Wichita, shot him. Trout gave himself up and waived a requisition.

Martial Law in Spain.

Madrid, Feb. 24.—Premier Sagasta will establish martial law throughout Spain.

It was said when the chamber of

deputies closed, that the minister of

war, Gen. Weyler, had a long conference with the queen regent followed by a conference with the military authorities. Afterwards, it is asserted, arms, and ball cartridges were served out to the troops in Madrid, who are in readiness to start at a moment's notice for an actual campaign.

FIGHT BY SENATORS

Teller and McLaurin Declared in Contempt of the Senate.

MEANTIME ARE SILENCED.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Senator Tillman (S. C.) in the course of a speech upon the Philippine tariff bill, made serious reflections upon the honor of his colleague, Mr. McLaurin. In brief, he charged that his vote in support of the ratification of the treaty of Paris had been east through the exerelse of improper influences.

Mr. McLaurin was not in the chamber at the time, being engaged in committee work, but he was sent for, and appeared just as Mr. Tillman finished his speech.

Pale as ashes, Mr. McLaurin arose to address the senate, speaking to a question of personal privilege. He reviewed Mr. Tillman's charges briefly, and then denounced the statement made by his colleague as a "wilful, malicious and deliberate lie."

Scarcely had the words fallen from his lips when Tillman rushed to Mc-Laurin and a rough and tumble tight occurred.

As soon as the belligerents were separated, an executive session was called and was two hours in reaching definite action, when, by resolution, the two senators were declared in contempt of the senate. They were permitted by a vote of the senate to apologize to that body.

The status of Senator Tillman and McLauria is that they are still in con-tempt of the senate and only by a vote of the senate can either be recognized either to speak or to vote on any question whatever.

The Rock Island Stock Rates.

Wiehita, Feb. 25.-The Rock Island has raised the rates on hogs and sheep from all points on its lines in the Indian country and Oklahoma to Wichita, from three to five cents, owing to the distance, and had left the rates the same from the same points to Kansas City. The Rock Island has also given notice that on the 12th day of March rates will be raised on all stock from all Kansas points to Wichita,

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The Rock Island claims it is not being treated fairly in the slupment of packing house products. The officials of the road claim that they have been beinging live hogs to Wichita and taking the short haul and then the products are sent out over other roads,

Changes in Okiahoma Boads.

Wiehita, Feb. 25.-The Eagle of this city says: The Blackwell, Enid & Southwestern railroad has been sold to the Frisco, and the latter road will take possession on March 1. This deal has been contemplated for several months and has finally been consumated. The Bes line has been planning to extend the road to Coffeyville, but with the purchase this project will be abandoned. Blackwell will lose the shops, as they will be moved to Enid temporarily.

It Beats the World.

Chicago, Feb. 19.-A permit was issued for the construction of what is planned to be the largest office building in the world. The building is projected by the First National bank officers and will house, when completed 9,000 people. This building will stand at Dearborn and Monroe streets and will cost \$3,000,000. Work will be begun in the spring.

A Volcano la Born.

Chilpancingo, State of Guerrero. Mex. Feb. 18.-Great alarm prevails here, as well as in Chilapa and Tixtla, at the discovery of smoke issuing from the openings in the summit of Temalccatlalco. There are seven openings about 150 metres from the crest of the mountain, from which thick smoke pours, clearly of volcanic origin. Residents of the towns named threaten to migrate to distant parts, so alarmed are they at this new indication of subterranean disturbance.

London Scared at Subsidy Bill.

London Feb. 20 .- The Daily Mail, discusses the effect upon British shipping of the American ship subsidy bill. The paper contends that the bounty suggested by Senator Frye will completely counterbalance the advantage now held by British shipping, but that the only remedy hitherto proposed that American ships entering British ports should be fined to the extent of their subsidy, is impracticable and even if it could be earried out, that it would not meet the situation.

Lost Barn and Stallions.

Washington, Kans., Feb. 24.-An incendiary fire destroyed the large horse barn of Thomas Kirtland, on his stock farm near this town, together with all its contents, including eight animals, of which two were fine thoroughbred stallions, supposed to be worth from \$1,000 to \$2,000 each. One of the horses was insured for \$1,000 and the aggregate insurance on all the property was several thousand dollars. When Kirtland saw the fire he fainted and fell in

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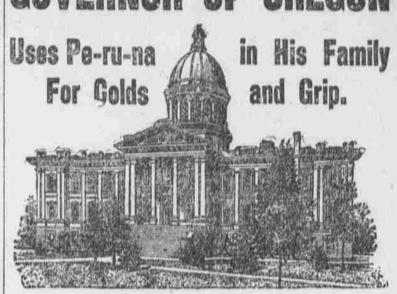
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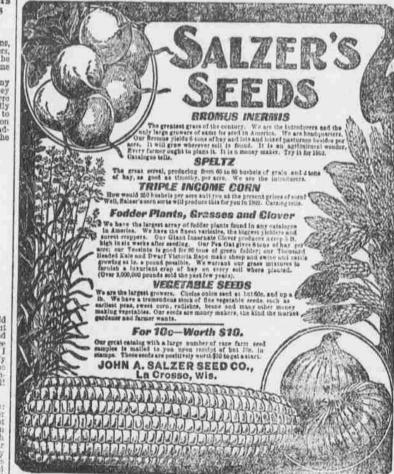


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